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# ROSES



SEASON  
1932-1933



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## WHEN GOD MADE ROSES

Anna Blake Mezquida

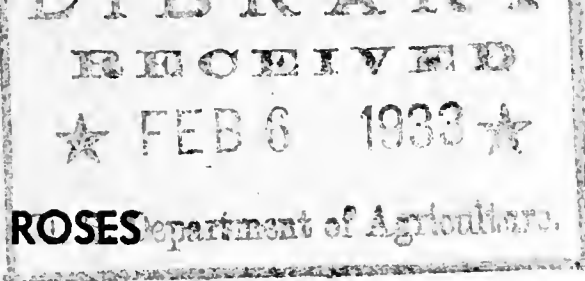


When God made roses He nurtured them  
With the hopes of a day begun,  
And gave them the fragrance of memory  
Of a day that is nearly done;  
He gathered the sunshine within each bud  
Like the golden heart of a friend,  
And set its beauty above a thorn  
Like a prayer at a hard day's end.



There must be roses in heaven, else it  
would not be heaven for some of us.

—Wilbur H. Fowler.



In cataloguing novelties, I have selected the very choicest of the world's productions. There are many new varieties which I wish to observe another year before offering.

It has been my endeavor to give as accurate a description of each rose as is possible, noting the faults of each as well as the good qualities. Roses vary in different soils and climate; what will thrive in one locality may not do well in another. If you are in doubt what will prove most satisfactory in your section, I shall be glad to advise and assist you in selecting.

The stock offered this year is the best I have ever grown, being exceptionally strong and healthy. The bushes are strong two year old plants, unless otherwise noted. All roses are absolutely guaranteed to be true to name, to grow and bloom the first season, with the exception of a few climbers. Should any be found otherwise they will gladly be replaced.

The prices quoted are strictly No. 1 budded field grown stock, which has three or more strong canes within six inches of the bud. No. 1½ grade is a good plant with two strong canes within six inches of the bud, and retails for 1/3 less than the list price. Inferior stock I do not retail.

**DISCOUNT PRICES:** When purchasing in lots of: 10 to 25 deduct 10%; 25 to 50 deduct 15%; 50 to 100 deduct 20%; 5% additional discount if cash accompanies order.

There is no packing or Parcel Post charge on bush roses in the state. Outside of the state postage will be charged. Postage or express charge will be made on Standards.

# 1932 NOVELTIES

## AMBASSADOR

1.00

A rose that has proven a great success in the past year. A beautiful bud of bronzy salmon that is borne singly on a strong stem. Bud is similar to Talisman in form but color is uniform. Foliage is a dark green, abundant and leathery. A profuse bloomer and intensely fragrant.

## AROMA

1.00

One of the new roses that is extremely fragrant. The bud is ovoid and large, opening to a large double crimson flower. Buds are usually borne several together on a medium size stem. Should be disbudded for best results. Plant is a vigorous, bushy grower with disease resistant foliage. A continuous bloomer. Winner of the Clay Cup for fragrance.

## CAYATANA STEWART

.75

A very large long pointed bud opening to a large double fragrant flower of golden yellow. Foliage is large, dark green and glossy; disease resistant. A very vigorous grower and continuous bloomer. Strong 1 yr. old plants.

## COMTESSE VANDAL

2.00

A new rose that has been the sensation of Europe. It has taken five European Gold Medals. Very popular because of its long pointed bud of exquisite form. A novel bronze coral, salmon and gold combination. The bush is a vigorous bushy grower with large, leathery dark green foliage. A continuous bloomer; fragrant. (Patent applied for.)

## DUQUESA DE PENARANDA

1.00

In the year that I have watched this rose it has proven a success. It is a strong upright grower with large, rich green glossy foliage. The flower is large, double, cupped of solid orange color. A continuous bloomer; fragrant. Strong 1 yr. old plants.

## E. J. LUDDING

1.00

A double rose of medium size with an ovoid bud of coral red; open flower has salmon shadings. A vigorous growing bush with an abundance of dark green, disease resistant foliage. A continuous bloomer.

## EDITH KRAUSE

1.50

Another very fragrant lasting rose. Buds are large, double and high centered. Color is a slight greenish white when bud first opens, fading to a pure white. A strong grower with an abundance of large rich green glossy foliage.

# "THE BEST IN ROSES"

## **HEINRICH WENDLAND 1.50**

This grand new rose is a cross of two excellent parents, Mrs. G. A. Van Rossem and Chas. P. Kilham. The flower is the type of Mrs. G. A. Van Rossem with a large, long-pointed bud opening to a large double high-centered flower of Nasturtium red; reverse deep golden yellow. Flowers borne singly on long strong stem; unusual lasting qualities; strong upright grower. Intensely fragrant (fruity). Fine disease resistant foliage.

## **MARY HART 2.00**

A beautiful new sport of Talisman. It has the same form as Talisman but a longer bud. Mary Hart is a Maroon red; solid color. The rose is large, double and intensely fragrant. A vigorous grower and profuse bloomer. Granted Patent No. 6.

## **MAGNUM PERNET 1.50**

An extremely large rose of the type of Paul Neyron, although it is a Hybrid Tea. Bud is a dandelion yellow, extremely double and intensely fragrant. A vigorous grower with glossy foliage. A profuse bloomer.

## **MAX KRAUSE 2.00**

Another fine rose with large bud of reddish orange opening to a large double, high centered flower of golden yellow, with unusual lasting qualities. Moderately fragrant. A very vigorous grower and continuous bloomer. (Patent applied for.)

## **NARAJANZA 2.00**

A new dark red Moss Rose. A vigorous grower; intermittent bloomer. Very fragrant.

## **PORTADOWN FRAGRANCE 1.00**

Just what the name implies, the sweetest fragrance one can wish for in a rose. Its beauty is equal to its fragrance. The flower is large, high centered and very lasting. Color a combination of brilliant orange-salmon-pink with a silver sheen. A moderate bushy grower with thick bronzy foliage. A profuse bloomer. Winner of the Clay Cup for fragrance. Strong 1 yr old plants. Supply limited.

## **SAN JOSE 1.50**

This new rose named for the City of San Jose appears to be a very good one. The bud is ovoid, very double, opening to a large double flower of orange salmon. A very vigorous grower with abundant, dark green glossy foliage. A prolific bloomer and fragrant.

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## SENORITA d'ALVERAZ

.75

A very brilliant, showy rose of glowing coppery-red with a satiny sheen. Type Isobel. A good new single that should make a showy bedding rose. A strong grower and continuous bloomer.

## SOUVENIR

1.50

A golden yellow sport of Talisman. Souvenir has won more Gold Medals than any other 1932 rose. Growth, habits and fragrance same as Talisman. (Patent applied for.)

## STANTON CLARK

2.00

A new pure white Moss rose. Growth vigorous; intermittent bloomer. Very fragrant.

## WM. ORR

1.00

This is one of the finest red roses that has come out in several years. A very double, high centered flower of brilliant deep velvety crimson. Buds are borne several together on a strong stem. A very prolific bloomer. A vigorous upright grower with glossy light green foliage; mildew resistant. Intensely fragrant.



## NEW ROSES

### AUTUMN (1930)

\$1.00

The most popular rose of the year. An unusual color combination of deep burnt orange and pink streaked with red. Moderately fragrant and very lasting. The bush is a strong upright grower with an abundance of thick, glossy foliage. Mildews slightly. Autumn has been the sensation of all flower shows this year.

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### ROSE OFFER—No. 1

Extra Choice Half Dozen

\$5.50 value for \$4.50

Mrs. San McGredy      Diane de Broglie

Wm. Orr      Senorita D'Alveraz

Mrs. Pierre S. du Pont      Ambassador



# "THE BEST IN ROSES"

## **CALEDONIA (1928) .75**

In some sections considered the best white rose, but in San Jose the outside petals burn in hot weather. Bud large and long pointed; vigorous, upright grower. A continual bloomer all season.

## **CHAS. P. KILHAM (1926) .75**

One of our finest roses. A rich Oriental-red suffused with red and orange. It has long pointed buds of perfect form opening to a high centered double flower. Tea scented; a vigorous growing, free flowering, disease resistant plant.

## **DAZLA (1930) 1.00**

Properly named; A large semi-double rose with waved petals of brilliant orange scarlet with golden base. Open flowers are 5 inches across. A vigorous spreading grower and a continuous bloomer. I recommend it highly to add a continuous splash of color in the garden.

## **DIANE de BROGILE (1929) 1.00**

A medium size, double cupped flower, moderately fragrant, of a beautiful shade of coral apricot. Foliage is large, bright dark green. A vigorous upright grower and an abundant bloomer. After observing this rose for a season, have decided it a very welcome addition to our gardens.

## **DIREKTOR RUBIO (1928) .75**

A large, very long pointed bud opening to an extremely large semi-double flower of magenta red, borne singly on strong stiff stems. A vigorous, upright grower and an abundant bloomer.

## **DUCHESS OF ATHOLL (1928) .50**

One of our most satisfactory garden roses. Attractive in both bud and open flower. A golden bronze flushed with pink. A vigorous, spreading grower with clean glossy bronze foliage.

## **E. G. HILL (1929) .50**

Very large flower of dazzling scarlet shading to a deep red. In a cool climate, it is a deep velvety red. Very double and exceedingly fragrant. Excellent as a cut flower because of its splendid lasting qualities. A moderate grower and free bloomer.

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The thorns of life have brought with  
them beautiful flowers of the soul.

—Wilbur H. Fowler

## FLAMINGO (1929) .75

A beautiful new rose with a long pointed bud of spiral form. Color is geranium red passing to rose cerise. Open flower is rather loose. It has been a moderate grower and rather shy bloomer.

## GAIETY (1926) .75

This rose is not as well known as it deserves to be. The same parentage as Talisman though not as brilliant or as variable. A medium size flower of orange, Indian red and silver. Light green glossy foliage; a vigorous grower, continuous bloomer, and moderately fragrant.

## GOLDEN DAWN (1929) .75

A new Australian rose that has proven a success in our California climate. A sweetly scented flower of rich sunflower yellow passing to lemon with age. A very vigorous grower and continuous bloomer.

## GRUSS AN COBURG (1927) .75

A very attractive medium size flower of apricot yellow. Growth is vigorous, upright with bronzy green, disease resistant foliage. Grows well in a shady location and is very fragrant.

## IMPRESS (1929) .50

A large ovoid flower shaped like a camellia of a rosy red with orange suffusion. The open flower is a striking salmon cerise with a golden sheen. This rose is at its best in the fall of the year. A strong grower with thick leathery foliage. Free flowering.

## JOANNA HILL (1928) .50

Another fine yellow rose. The outer petals are a clear sulphur yellow, and the inner are a deeper tone. Buds are long and pointed, opening to a large full flower of moderate fragrance. A vigorous, upright grower, continuous bloomer and a splendid cut flower.

## JULES GAUJARD (1928) .75

A new and beautiful rose of orange red flushed carmine, uniform color all over the rose. Flower is of globular form, has good lasting qualities and is fragrant. Foliage bright green and glossy. A strong spreading grower. Very thorny.

## LADY FORTEVIOT (1928) .75

A rose very similar in form to Angele Pernet. It is a golden yellow changing to a deep apricot with a very pleasing fragrance. Foliage is a bronzy green. A vigorous bushy grower and a continuous bloomer.

# "THE BEST IN ROSES"

## **LI BURES (1928) .75**

A new rose from Spain having the brilliant, flashy colors typical of that nation. A medium size flower of brilliant rose red and yellow mixed. The color is variable depending on the weather. The foliage is very attractive; the leaves are large and dark green with a gloss that gives them a polished appearance. A strong upright grower; prolific bloomer. Slightly fragrant.

## **MARI DOT (1927) .75**

Another rose of Spanish origin that is among the best. After a thorough trial this rose has proven better than ever. The buds are ovoid reddish salmon yellow. Open flower shows a clear bright salmon passing to salmon pink with gold at the base of the petals. Moderately fragrant. A vigorous spreading grower with healthy glossy foliage. A heavy bloomer.

## **McGREDY'S IVORY (1929) .75**

A very fine white rose having a light yellow base which disappears as flower ages. The buds are very long and pointed. An exceptionally prolific bloomer and a strong grower with dark leathery foliage. Moderately fragrant.

## **MRS. G. A. VAN ROSSEM (1926) .75**

This is one of the best roses of recent introduction. A combination of colors found in no other rose. A large ovoid bud opening to a large fragrant flower that is heavily flamed and shaded orange and apricot on a yellow background. Reverse of petals is often a dark bronze. Foliage is a dark bronzy green. A vigorous grower. Very satisfactory; especially recommended for foggy localities.

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## **ROSE OFFER—No. 2**

**Extra Choice Dozen**  
**\$8.25 value for \$6.50**

Autumn	Dazla	Chas. P. Kilham
Duchess of Atholl		Jules Gaujard
Mrs. G. A. Van Rossem		Talisman
Mrs. E. P. Thom		Susan Louise
Shot Silk		Etoile de Holland
	President Jac Smits	

## **McGREDY'S SCARLET (1930) .75**

A large, full, fragrant rose of brilliant scarlet with gold at the base of the petals; upper part of petals lightly washed crimson. Foliage dark olive green. A vigorous, upright grower and free bloomer.

## **MRS. PIERRE S. du PONT (1929) .75**

For color and form, this rose is among the best. It received the Bagatelle prize in Paris as the best yellow rose. The bud is medium size, long pointed and of a beautiful reddish gold. The open flower is semi-double and moderately fragrant. One of the most prolific bloomers we have. In some sections it has been a strong grower, while in others it has been weak.

## **MRS. SAM McGREDY (1929) 1.00**

This rose is probably the best of all the roses that McGredy has produced and one of the best in commerce today. The reports on it from different sections is that it is the one rose without faults. It has a wonderful combination of colors, scarlet orange heavily flushed with Lincoln red on outside of petals. Buds are large and long pointed; flowers are double, fragrant and very lasting. The foliage is glossy green and abundant; young foliage is a dark reddish green. A strong grower and a continuous bloomer.

## **NIGHT (1930) .75**

A medium size flower of dark blackish crimson, almost black in the spring of the year near the coast. It is of globular form and moderately fragrant. A fair grower and bloomer. Plants one year old.

## **OLYMPIAD (1931) 1.00**

The most talked of rose today. Many have been disappointed because the color has not always been as dark as the pictures of it. It really is a good rose. The color is variable, ranging from the true color of blood red shaded with copper and yellow to an orangy pink in varying proportions. Buds are long and pointed and have always had fine form and substance. A strong growing bush and a prolific bloomer. Strong one year old bushes, as good as the average two year old.

## **PORTADOWN BEDDER (1929) .50**

A very fine bedding rose. Buds are dainty and slender, opening to a medium size flower of orange yellow with an apricot center; reverse of petals has a cerise flush that deepens near the edges. A moderate grower and free bloomer.

# "THE BEST IN ROSES"

## **PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER (1930) .50**

This rose is a great favorite. A long bud of orange scarlet opening to a very large flower of orange and pink. As the flower ages the bright colors fade, leaving a creamy pink in delicate shades. This rose has such wonderful substance that it is unusually fine for cut purposes. It is an exceptionally strong grower and blooms continuously throughout the season. Very fragrant.

## **PRESIDENT JAC SMITS (1928) .75**

This fine semi-double rose is a cross of two of our best red roses, Etoile de Holland and K. of K. It is a brilliant dark red with a velvet sheen. A very vigorous grower, an exceptionally constant bloomer and spicy fragrance. The more we see of it the better we like it.

## **ROSELLA SWEET (1930) .75**

A new rose having a rich orange apricot color with a metallic luster. A moderate grower with rather weak stems. It has a very sweet fragrance.

## **ROYAL SCOT (1928) .75**

A rose on the type of Sunstar. Bud medium size and ovoid, opening to a medium size flower of golden yellow with crimson edges; borne several together on a strong stem. A very satisfactory flower to produce color in the garden. A strong upright grower. Moderately fragrant.

## **SUSAN LOUISE (1929) .75**

This lovely new rose is proving to be one of the finest pink roses on the Pacific Coast. It is similar in form to its parent the Belle of Portugal, but a little deeper in shade. The buds often attain a length of three inches. It is an unusually strong growing bush rose and a constant bloomer; practically thornless. No rose garden is complete without one or more Susan Louise.

## **SYRACUSE (1930) .75**

A large pointed bud opening to a large double flower of crimson scarlet. Form and color are good but it has no fragrance. A vigorous growing, upright bush with dark green leathery foliage. Profuse bloomer.

## **TALISMAN (1929) .50**

One of the new roses that has come to stay. Its marvelous combination of colors has made it the most popular rose in years. The color is a mixture of red, yellow and copper in varying proportions. It is a strong grower, the flowers have splendid lasting qualities and it is unusually fragrant. It mildews slightly, but regardless should find a place in every garden.

**VATERLAND (1928)**

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A new German rose of a deep velvety red. Buds are large and ovoid. Open flowers are large and moderately fragrant; outside petals burn in the sun. Foliage is medium size and bronzy green. A vigorous grower and continuous bloomer.

**W. E. CHAPLIN (1929)**

**1.00**

This is one of the best red roses introduced in recent years. Large, full, double, high centered flower with fine lasting qualities. Sweetly tea scented. The color is a deep crimson deepening to carmine crimson that does not blue or burn in the sun. A vigorous, upright grower with large rich green foliage.



**SELECT VARIETIES OF RECENT  
INTRODUCTIONS**

**Roses in This Group \$.50 Each.  
Regular Discount Allowed**

**ANGELE PERNET**

This rose is still the best of its type and color. A beautiful orange, yellow shaded deep reddish apricot. A moderate grower with firm, glossy green foliage. Flower is semi-double borne on strong stem. A fine cut flower. Fragrant. Plant will not stand heavy pruning.

**BETTY UPRICHARD**

A two toned rose that is very popular in some localities. It seems to thrive best in a cool climate. A delicate salmon pink, reverse side with a coppery sheen. A vigorous grower and prolific bloomer. Fragrant.

**CUBA**

A vigorous growing upright bush producing a profusion of brilliant orange scarlet semi-double flowers. Fine as a garden rose.

**DAME EDITH HELEN**

One of the most fragrant roses produced in recent years. A very large, double rose of pure glowing pink. A moderate growing bush and a moderate bloomer. Excellent as a cut rose.

# "THE BEST IN ROSES"

## **DUCHESS OF YORK**

Deep golden yellow with a tangerine center deepening to orange tangerine as the rose opens. Flowers large and full. A vigorous grower and prolific bloomer. Good for garden decoration only, as the rose has a weak neck.

## **EMMA WRIGHT**

A small well formed rose of pure orange. This is especially adapted for table decorations. A moderate growing bush with glossy green foliage. A free bloomer and fragrant.

## **ETOILE DE HOLLAND**

The best by far of the better known red roses. A beautiful dark velvety red that does not blue. Very fragrant and excellent as a cut flower. Growth sometimes rather slow the first year, after that a vigorous grower and prolific bloomer.

## **FEU JOSEPH LOOYMANS**

Another fine rose that every one should have. A long pointed bud opening to a beautiful flower of orange apricot. The plant is a vigorous bushy grower with glossy green, disease resistant foliage. A prolific bloomer.

## **FLOREX**

This bright coral salmon rose is one of our best varieties. It has long pointed buds with thick leathery petals. A fine cut flower and fragrant. Growth is strong and upright; a free bloomer.

## **GROOTENDORST (Pink)**

A Rugosa rose used as a shrub and for hedges. A strong growing bush, with thick crinkly foliage that does not mildew. The flower looks like a carnation, being about the same size and form. Color a bright pink, borne in clusters. May be pruned in any shape.

## **GOLDEN EMBLEM**

The best yellow rose in most sections of California. Rich golden yellow, heavily splashed with red; splendid heavy dark glossy foliage; a strong grower but will not stand heavy pruning.

## **HADLEY**

An old favorite dark red rose that is extremely fragrant in the early spring. Mildews in summer and flower blues in hot sun.

## HOOSIER BEAUTY

Dark velvety red and very fragrant. A fine cut flower. A moderate growing bush and prolific bloomer. One of our best.

## IVY MAY

Another rose of the Ophelia type. Bud long pointed, flower medium size, fairly double and fragrant. Color is bright pink running to amber at the base of the petals. A vigorous growing plant and a prolific bloomer. Mildews badly in some sections.

## J. C. THORNTON

One of the new red roses with a long pointed, beautifully formed bud. Color is a glowing crimson scarlet. A vigorous growing bush and a prolific bloomer, but has a weak neck.

## J. OTTO THILOW

This is one of the finest, most beautifully formed pink roses although very little known. The flower is large, double, high centered and of a glowing rose pink. A constant bloomer and a strong grower with large leathery foliage.

## K. OF K.

Intense scarlet, inside of petals dark velvety red. Extremely free flowering and fragrant. Semi-double.

## LADY MARGARET STEWART

A gorgeously colored bud of orange shaded yellow; open flower a deep buttercup yellow flushed with orange and red. A strong growing bush with dark green leathery foliage. Good only in Summer and Fall.

## LOS ANGELES

Flame pink toned with coral and gold. Strong grower and prolific bloomer.

## LOUISE C. BRESLAU

One of our finest roses. A large, very double rose of coral red shaded apricot borne on stiff stems. Heavy leathery, glossy foliage. A good cut flower; moderately fragrant.

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Thorns and blossoms make up roses,  
Thorns and blossoms make up life.

—Wilbur H. Fowler



# **"THE BEST IN ROSES"**

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## **LUCIE MARIE**

One of the new roses that is fine in some locations. Here it has been a disappointment because of its pale color and loose form. Color is yellow with apricot and orange. A prolific grower and bloomer; foliage dark green.

## **LULU**

A most beautiful long slender dainty bud of coral apricot. Semi-single. Especially fine for table decorations.

## **MARGARET McGREDY**

A fine rose for a cool climate. A brilliant orange scarlet rose with heavy petals. A vigorous bushy grower and prolific bloomer.

## **MISS ROWENA THOM**

A very large double flower of fiery rose and old gold. A vigorous bushy grower and continuous bloomer. This rose seems to be at its best in a cool climate.

## **MRS. E. P. THOM**

One of our really good yellows. In fact it is the best yellow for some sections; especially adapted to coast regions. A moderately fragrant rose with a medium size flower of deep canary yellow that does not fade. Fine as a cut flower. A very strong grower and exceedingly prolific bloomer.

## **NORMAN LAMBERT**

A large handsome coppery orange flower, showing a deep salmon suffused with bronze and yellow. Bud opens quickly in warm weather. Best suited for a cool climate.

## **PADRE**

Brilliant coppery scarlet flushed with yellow at base of petals. A colorful garden rose but not good for cutting.

## **POLLY**

A new rose of the Ophelia type. Long pointed bud of golden yellow shaded with pink. It is at its best in the Fall of the year. A vigorous grower and free bloomer. Very fragrant.

## **RAPTURE**

One of the best of the Ophelia family. A long pointed bud of pink shaded apricot. A very strong grower and fragrant.

## **REV. F. PAGE ROBERTS**

A lovely two toned rose of soft buff with a reverse of light salmon stained with copper. Growth is low and spreading.

## SHOT SILK

A beautiful combination of orange rose overlaid with yellow and suffused with pink. Flowers are cupped shape. Dark green, vigorous, healthy foliage. A strong grower, continuous bloomer and fragrant. Very fine.

## THE QUEEN ALEXANDRA

A startling combination of vermillion and orange with a reverse of old gold. A perpetual bloomer but not good as a cut flower. Does not stand heavy pruning.

## VILLE de PARIS

In some sections the very best yellow. A large double ovoid bud of sunflower yellow slightly tinted orange; deeper in shade in the center and at the base of the petals. A very vigorous grower with glossy reddish green foliage. A continuous bloomer.

## WILHELM KORDES

A unique colored rose of golden yellow with coppery red edges. Color is very variable depending on the weather. Does not do well in a shady location.



## SINGLE ROSES

50c each

### AUSTRIAN COPPER

This is a shrub rose. Flowers are an intense copper-red with a reverse of bright golden yellow, produced singly on short stems along the branches. Short blooming period.

### CECIL

Lovely large flowers of buttercup yellow produced in clusters. It has very glossy, disease resistant foliage, and blooms continuously.

### DAINTY BESS

The most popular of the single roses and very properly named. Flowers of medium size with crinkled and wavy petals of soft rose pink, borne several together. Bright crimson stamens make a pleasing contrast. Last well if cut in tight bud. A strong grower and profuse bloomer.

# "THE BEST IN ROSES"

## **ISOBEL**

Long pointed buds of carmine red shaded yellow. A strong grower, continuous bloomer; slightly fragrant. The largest of the singles and one of the best.

## **IRISH ELEGANCE**

Bronzy orange shaded apricot. Constant bloomer. Strong grower.

## **IRISH FIREFLAME**

Orange shaded red. Vigorous grower, continuous bloomer but mildews badly.

## **INNOCENCE**

White with golden yellow stamens; two rows of petals, slightly waved, borne in clusters. Foliage dark green; mildew proof.

## **KIRSTEN POULSEN**

A crimson scarlet borne in clusters on a long stem. Flowers of medium size and lasting. Growth very vigorous and hardy. Used for massed planting and hedges.

## **VESUVIUS**

Dark velvety crimson, borne in clusters. Very vigorous and continuous bloomer. Fragrant.



## **POLYANTHA ROSES**

(Low Growing Baby Roses)

\$.50 each

## **AENNCHEN MULLER**

Shining bright blooms of fairly good size, borne in clusters on strong stems. A prolific bloomer; plant strong and bushy.

## **CECILE BRUNNER**

Small beautifully formed buds and flowers of light pink with yellow at the base of the petals.

## **CHATILLON**

Bright pink bloom, semi-double with a touch of orange. Trusses are large; good for massing and borders.

## CORAL CLUSTER

Small coral pink flowers of delicate shade, borne in large clusters. Especially fine in cool weather. One of the best of the Polyanthas.

## ELLEN POULSEN

Bud and flowers large, double, lasting and moderately fragrant. A bright cherry pink, borne in large clusters on strong medium length stems. A continuous bloomer. Fine for borders.

## ETOILE LUISANTE (Baby Herriot)

Similar in color to Mme. Herriot. Buds are very small and daintily formed. Scarlet red with coppery red shadings. Few thorns, vigorous bushy growth, continuous bloomer.

## GLORIA MUNDI

This new polyantha is a striking orange-scarlet borne in clusters. Very free bloomer and lasting. Light green, glossy foliage, growth vigorous and bushy.

## LEONIE LAMESCH

A rose of striking colors. Bright coppery red shaded yellow. They bloom in small clusters.

## MME. JULES GOUCHAULT

Clear bright pink double flowers tinted coral. Fragrant.

## ORANGE PERFECTION

Orange red. A very showy rose and one of the best of this type.

## ORLEANS

Bright pink, semi-double with a white center. Profuse bloomer. A favorite.

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## ROSE OFFER—No. 3

**\$3.25 value for \$2.50**

Dainty Bess  
Mrs. E. P. Thom  
President H. Hoover

Betty Uprichard  
Talisman  
Syracuse

# "THE BEST IN ROSES"

## NEW CLIMBERS

### BLAZE

A new everblooming scarlet red climber sometimes called the everblooming Paul's Scarlet. Flowers and growth same as Paul's Scarlet. The originators claim it to be a free continuous bloomer throughout the season. Foliage has been free from mildew. This rose has been granted Plant Patent No. 10. Price.....\$2.00

### CL. DAME EDITH HELEN

Flowers are the same as the well known bush variety and described by the originator as a strong climber and a heavy bloomer. Price....\$1.00

### SCORCHER

One of the new Australian climbers that was introduced into the U. S. last year. It has large ovoid buds opening to flowers four inches across, semi-double and slightly fragrant. The rose is a most brilliant scarlet crimson with crinkly petals and yellow stamens. A strong grower (about 10 ft.) with fine foliage that is free from disease in most locations. Blooms throughout the season. Price .....75

### CL. TALISMAN

Flowers and foliage same as the ever popular bush variety. A strong grower. I have seen growth on bushes planted eight months about nine feet long and still growing. Price 2 yr. old bushes .75; Strong 1 yr. bushes.....50



## ALL ROSES IN THIS LIST 50 cents each

### BELLE OF PORTUGAL

Extremely long buds of soft creamy pink with a suggestion of yellow. Very vigorous grower. Short blooming season.

### BLACK BOY

This vigorous Australian climber has large, long pointed buds that open to large semi-double, slightly fragrant flowers of very dark reddish black in the spring. Intense red bloom in the summer. A heavy spring bloomer and a moderate bloomer during the entire summer.

## BONFIRE

A small, very double flower of dazzling scarlet borne in large clusters. Blooms very early and lasts about six weeks. A vigorous grower with small disease resistant foliage.

## CL. CECILE BRUNNER

A very rampant grower. Flowers same as bush variety.

## CHAPLIN'S PINK CLIMBER

A cross of Paul's Scarlet and American Pillar. It blooms in large clusters of pure pink, semi-double,, medium sized flowers with yellow stamens. A very vigorous grower but has quite a short blooming season.

## CL. GOLDEN EMBLEM

The same lovely flower and foliage as the bush variety. A very strong grower, and free bloomer. The best double yellow climber.

## GWEN NASH

A semi-double cupped flower of clear cyclamen pink with white center, borne several together. A continuous bloomer, slightly fragrant. A good pillar rose.

## CL. HADLEY

Same as bush rose except in habit of growth. Very fine dark red climber and very fragrant.

## CL. HOOSIER BEAUTY

The same lovely rose as the bush variety. A rich velvety scarlet. Very fragrant and a continuous bloomer. One of our best red climbers.

## CL. LOUISE C. BRESLAU

One of our finest climbers. The blooms are even larger than the bush variety. A strong grower with heavy dark green foliage. A continuous bloomer with splendid lasting qualities.

## MERMAID

One of our best and most popular climbers. Immense single flowers of pale sulphur yellow with amber stamens. Fragrant. The foliage is beautiful in itself a deep shiny green; disease resistant. A very vigorous grower and profuse bloomer.

# "THE BEST IN ROSES"

## **CL. MME. EDOUARD HERRIOT**

Same as the bush variety except in habit of growth.

## **MME. GEORGIE STAECHELIN**

A unique Spanish rose. A long crimson bud opening to large flowers of delicate pink with curled petals stained on the outside with crimson. A vigorous grower. Short blooming season.

## **CL. MME BUTTERFLY**

Same as bush variety except in habit of growth. Salmon flesh with yellow at the base of the petals. A profuse bloomer.

## **PAUL'S SCARLET**

Vivid scarlet, medium sized flowers borne in clusters. Holds its color well. Literally covered with bloom in the spring but has a comparatively short blooming season.

## **PHYLLIS BIDE**

An everblooming polyantha with blooms about the size of Cecile Brunner but are produced in sprays. It is a pale gold shading to carmine pink at the edge of the petals. It is mildew proof and is adapted to a shady location.

## **CL. ROSE MARIE**

One of the best pink climbers. The perfectly formed rose-pink blooms, which come in profusion throughout the blooming season, make it a favorite. An unusually strong pillar rose.

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## **ROSE OFFER—No. 4**

**\$3.00 value for \$2.00**

**Cuba**

**J. C. Thornton**

**Rapture**

**Margaret McGredy**

**Los Angeles**

**Lucie Marie**

## STANDARD ROSES

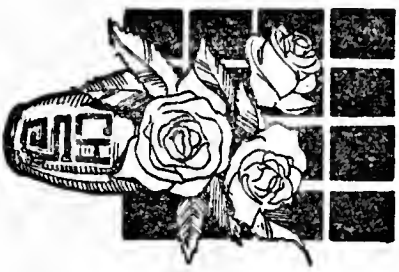


This year I have a very fine selection of Standard roses budded on IXL and La Griffia stems at 40 inches. Tree shaped roses add much to the beauty of the garden, being used to outline formal gardens, walks and drives. The roses grown are Standards and are usually superior to those grown on bushes.

Descriptions to these varieties may be found on previous pages.

Ambassabor .....	\$2.25
Autumn .....	2.25
Chas. P. Kilham .....	2.00
Dainty Bess .....	2.00
Duchess of Atholl.....	2.00
Etoile de Holland.....	2.00
Feu Jos Looymans.....	2.00
Lady Forteviot .....	2.00
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William Orr .....	2.25





# C. H. STOCKING ROSE GROWER

532 N. SIXTEENTH STREET ♦ TELEPHONE BALLARD 1383  
SAN JOSE, CALIFORNIA

## PREPARING THE BUSH FOR PLANTING

With a sharp knife, cut the ends of all roots, cutting from the inside of the root to the outside so the cut will be facing downward. Cut the tops back to from 8 to 12 inches. Cut from the inside to the outside on an upward angle about  $\frac{1}{4}$  inch above an outside bud. If plants appear slightly withered, submerge in water for 24 hours before planting.

## PLANTING

Spade the ground as deep as possible and work it down to a fine mulch. Then dig holes at least 14 inches wide and from 18 to 24 inches deep. Fill the hole in half full with a mixture of equal parts of surface soil and cow manure. Tramp this down firmly and cover with two inches of surface soil. Make a cone shaped mound in the center of the hole and place the plant on this mound. Spread the roots to cover as much surface as possible. Hold the bush with the bud, or union of top and root stock, level with the ground or slightly above. Fill the hole with top soil and tramp down thoroughly, leaving a basin several inches deep. Fill basin with water and allow to settle. After watering well, fill the basin with soil and manure mixture.

## FEEDING

Roses are heavy feeders. To secure best results, cover entire rose garden with from 2 to 4 inches of cow manure in the latter part of February. Leave this as a mulch. Do not hoe around the bushes during the growing season. Water roses from two to four times a month depending on the soil; but soak thoroughly each time you water. It is best to water roses in the morning.

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